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Applicant: Michael Helmus

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DEVICES WITH CONTROLLED CHANGE OF PHYSICAL PROPERTIES
LEADING TO BIOMECHANICAL COMPATIBILITY

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed December 19, 2008, please enter the
following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6.